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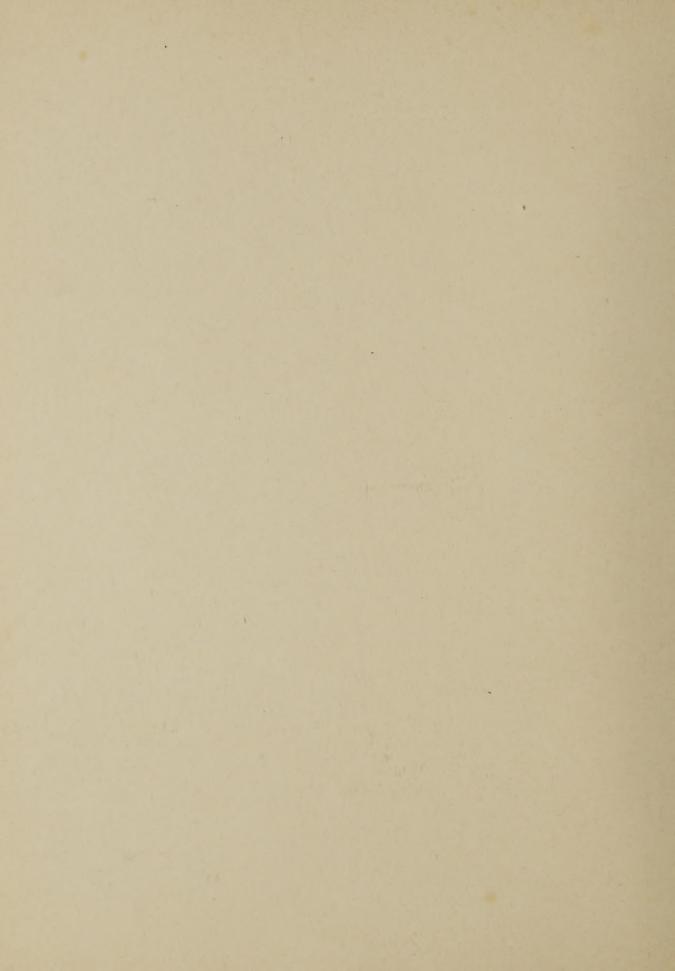
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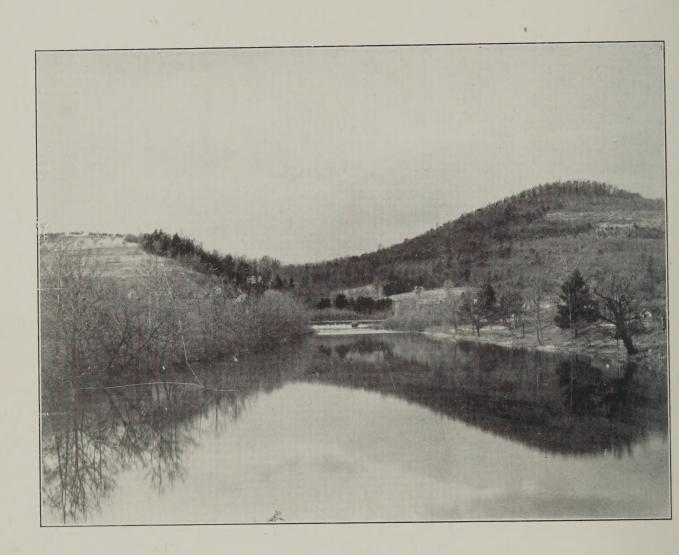
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To Mr. Boyd J. Glick—whose constant patience, assistance, loyalty and leadership have set great examples for us, we dedicate this 1946 AURORA in humble appreciation.





FOREWORD

We, the staff of the AURORA for the year 1946, have endeavored to prepare an Annual that will serve as a true and impartial chronicle of the events of the school year, and will be the means, in later years, of recalling to memory the faces of our friends now so well known to us all.

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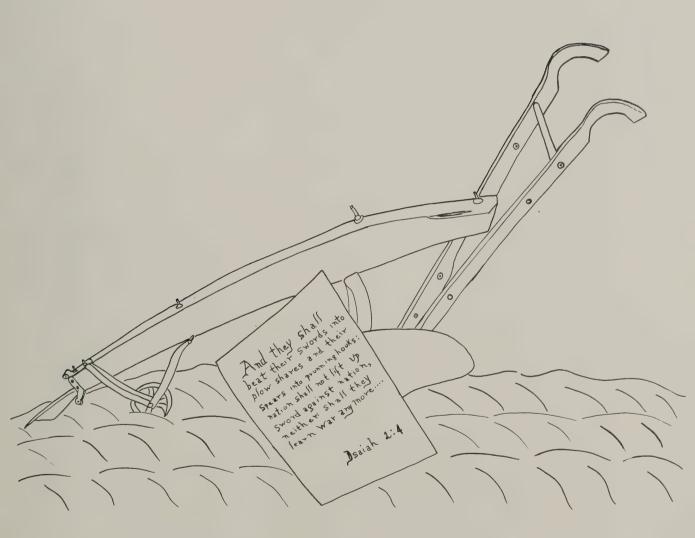
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CLASSES





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We Have Crossed the Bay, the Ocean Lies Before Us.



Left to Right-R. Fix, H. Sayre, Mrs. Ikenberry, H. Shickel, M. Armstrong



HELEN CLEO ANDERSON Activities: Salmagundi Club, F.H.A. Personality: Modest, friendly Ambition: Housewife Favorite Pastime: Movies

MARIETTA ARMSTRONG Activities: Freshman, Sophomore, Senior Class Secretary, F.H.A., Dramatic Club, Salmagundi Club,

Chatter Staff
Personality: Lively, amiable

Ambition: Housewife Favorite Pastime: Reading books

JOHN DANIEL BAKER Activities: Senior Play, F.F.A. Personality: Self-confident, frank Ambition: Politician Favorite Pastime: With Sayre and Fix

GLADYS MARIE BOWMAN Activities: Junior Play, Jive Kids, Basketball, Choral Club Personality: Sincere, straightforward Ambition: Housewife Favorite Pastime: Going to movies with Aubrey













DAVID RAWLEY CUPP Activities: Salmagundi Club, F.F.A. Personality: Tolerant, friendly Ambition: Farmer Favorite Pastime: Playing ball

AUDREY JEAN CUPP Activities: Salmagundi Club, F.H.A. Personality: Even-tempered, generous Ambition: Housewife Favorite Pastime: Reading









BETTY MARGARET DEDRICK Activities: Senior Play, Dramatic Club, Jive Kids, F. H. A.

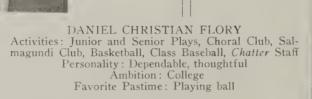
Personality: Dependable, tolerant Ambition: Housewife Favorite Pastime: Harrisonburg on Saturday night

ELOISE REBECCA EDMONSON
Activities: Senior Play, F.H.A., Choral Club, Dramatic
Club, Basketball, Salmagundi Club
Personality: Versatile, cheerful
Ambition: College and job
Favorite Pastime: Writing letters, playing piano

ROSCOE MILTON FIX
Activities: Senior Play, President of Senior Class
Personality: Mischievous, self-confident
Ambition: Draftsman
Favorite Pastime: Working at Penney's

BYRON MORTON FLORY, JR.
Activities: Senior Play, Choral Club, Jive Kids, Basketball, Class Baseball
Personality: Loyal, patient
Ambition: College
Favorite Pastime: Sleeping





IRENE ELAINE FRYE
Activities: Basketball, Jive Kids, Dramatic Club,
Junior and Senior Plays
Personality: Ambitious, gay
Ambition: Airline hostess
Favorite Pastime: With Alfred

BETTY WILLSDEN FURRY
Activities: Junior and Senior Plays, Vice-President,
Salmagundi Club, Choral Club, F.H.A., Band
Personality: Enthusiastic, gay
Ambition: Housewife
Favorite Pastime: Playing the piano





ELIZABETH ANN GARTH
Activities: Basketball, Secretary of Dramatic Club,
Jive Kids, F.H.A.

Personality: Jolly, ambitious
Ambition: Houswife
Favorite Pastime: Horseback riding

ERVA CLARENE HASSLER Activities: Hobby Club, Jive Kids Club, F.H.A. Personality: Cheerful, frank Ambition: Housewife Favorite Pastime: Reading

CATHERINE LOUISE HEROLD
Activities: Basketball, Salmagundi Club, Secretary of
Junior Class
Personality: Self-confident, sociable
Ambition: Musician
Favorite Pastime: Dreaming

DORA LUCILLE JORDAN
Activities: President of Junior Class, Choral Club, Band
Personality: Understanding, humorous
Ambition: Musician and singer
Favorite Pastime: With Boone















MARGARET CATHERINE KENNEDY Activities: Jive Kids, Dramatic Club, F.H.A. Personality: Sense of humor, friendly Ambition: Housewife Favorite Pastime: Going to the movies

ROBERT ADAMS LAM
Activities: Jive Kids Club, Chatter Staff
Personality: Studious, quiet
Ambition: Radio engineer
Favorite Pastime: Reading

CHARLES LEE LEONARD
Activities: Dramatic Club, Salmagundi Club, Junior Play, Senior Play, Band, Class Baseball, Class
Basketball, Cheer Leader
Personality: Humorous, good-natured
Ambition: Pilot
Favorite Pastime: Eating











BETTY JEAN MILLER Activities: Senior Play, Junior Play, Jive Kids, F.H.A., Dramatic Club, President of Sophomore Class Personality: Considerate, studious

Ambition: Musician

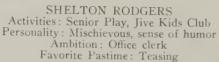
Favorite Pastime: Playing the piano

WILLARD EDWARD MILLER Activities: Salmagundi Club, F.F.A. Personality: Quiet Ambition: Farmer Favorite Pastime: Playing ball

BONNIE JEAN PAYNE Activities: F. H. A. Personality: Thoughtful, enthusiastic Ambition: Housewife Favorite Pastime: Reading

WILDA PAULINE RODEFFER Activities: Senior Play, Salmagundi Club, F. H. A., Choral Club Personality: Tactful, enthusiastic Ambition: Housewife Favorite Pastime: Writing letters





HOWARD HERBERT SAYRE Activities: Salmagundi Club, Senior Play, Vice President of Senior Class Personality: Modest, affectionate Ambition: Marine Corps Favorite Pastime: Women

HAROLD CLINE SHICKEL
Activities: Salmagundi Club, Choral Club, Class basketball, Class baseball, Chatter staff, Business Manager Aurora, Treasurer of Sophomore, Junior and Senior Classes
Personality: Cheerful, dependable Ambition: Forest ranger

Favorite Pastime: Eating









MARTHA ELAINE SHULL
Activities: Jive Kids Club, Dramatic Club, Senior Play
Personality: Frank, alert
Ambition: Home Economics teacher
Favorite Pastime: Going to the movies

ROY LEE SIMMERS
Activities: Salmagundi Club, F.F.A.
Personality: Quiet, friendly
Ambition: Pilot
Favorite Pastime: Hunting

FRANCES ELIZABETH SIMMONS
Activities: Basketball, Choral Club, Dramatic Club,
Hobby Club, Salmagundi Club, F.H.A.
Personality: Humorous, generous
Ambition: Housewife
Favorite Pastime: Bowling

JANICE ELAINE SKELTON
Activities: Junior Play, Jive Kids Club, Dramatic Club,
Editor-in-Chief of 45-46 Chatter
Personality: Sociable, thoughtful
Ambition: Housewife
Favorite Pastime: Softball















HELEN EVALINE SNELL
Activities: Salmagundi Club
Personality: Unselfish, appreciative
Ambition: Go to school
Favorite Pastime: Rides with Armstrong heater

MARGUERITE ANN STICKLEY
Activities: Chatter Staff, Editor-in-Chief of Aurora,
Jive Kids Club, Choral Club, Vice-President
of Freshman Class
Personality: Jolly, frank
Ambition: Housewife
Favorite Pastime: Playing the piano

DENNIS DELAINE WRIGHT
Activities: Salmagundi Club, President of F.F.A.
Basketball, Class baseball
Personality: Tolerant, athletic
Ambition: Professional baseball player
Favorite Pastime: Singing







Relatives By Affection

THE SENIOR PLAY CAST

Debort From a small town harbor	Charles Les Leonard
Robert Evans, a small town banker	
Margaret, his flibbertigibbet wife	Elaine Frye
Shirley, their literary daughter	Betty Jean Miller
Emma Raft, the housekeeper	Betty Dedrick
Hobart, the butler	Roscoe Fix
Findley Davis, Shirley's fiancé	Shelton Rodgers
Dr. Yen, a Chinese gentleman	B. M. Flory, Jr.
Mrs. Yen, his wife	Betty Furry
Ho Wang, their son	D. C. Flory
Wah Ching, their daughter	
T'ze Kiang, a Chinese actress	Wilda Rodeffer
Bird's Nest, a serving woman	
Sing, an illiterate coolie	John Baker
Newspaper Reporter	
News Photographer	Howard Sayre



SYNOPSIS OF RELATIVES BY AFFECTION

The story begins when Shirley Evans writes a literary masterpiece of twenty words, and wins a six months' trip to the Orient.

While in China, Shirley gets mixed up in the war and is rescued by Ho Wang, son of the Yens, who is injured in the process. According to Chinese beliefs, Shirley's life belongs to Ho Wang.

When Ho Wang comes to America to lecture, he is accompanied by his father, mother, sister, Wah Ching, and the serving girl, Bird's Nest. Shirley invites them to visit her and runs into many complications.

The trend of events takes a surprising turn when a family council is held and romances sprout like mushrooms: Hobart, the butler, and Emma, the cook, confess fondness for each other: Sing, the number one boy, and Bird's Nest, the twittering Chinese maid, join hands. Also T'ze Kiang, a Chinese movie actress, and Ho Wang tell of their intentions toward marriage which helped things along for Shirley and her fiancé, Findley Davis.



Class Will

We, the Senior Class of 1946 of Bridgewater High School, Bridgewater, Virginia, being of sound mind and body, and realizing that we are leaving from said place, never to return as seniors again, and desiring to leave some remembrances, do here ordain and establish our last will and testament, revoking and making void any wills heretofore made by us.

We do individually bequeath:

- I, Helen Anderson, will my bashfulness around boys to Pat Beckwith.
- I, Roscoe Fix, will my place as president of the Senior Class to anyone who will accept it as a grateful gift.
- I, Gladys Bowman, will my promptness to Bonnie Swartz providing she'll improve it.
 - I, Shelton Rodgers, will my rating among the girls to the Junior boys.
- I, Marguerite Stickley, will my place as Editor-in-Chief of the Aurora to anyone who'll have it.
 - I, Robert Lamb, will my close attention in class to Elwood Roche.
- I, Jean Cupp, will my ability of sewing to Betty Stearn, providing she will learn to use it.
 - I, Howard Sayre, will my easiness with girls to Norman Howdyshell.
 - I, Elaine Skelton, will my love of school sports to Mary Ella Rodeffer.
 - I, Bonnie Payne, will my red hair to Kitty Jean Thomas.
 - I. John Baker, will my frankness to Stanley Wine.
 - I, Erva Hassler, will my long curls to Josephine Lambert.
 - I, D. C. Flory, will my love of Mathematics problems to Boone Glasgow.
 - I, Elaine Frye, will my admiration of a certain senior to absolutely no one.
 - I, Willard Miller, will my quietness to Paul Whetzel.
- I, Betty Dedrick, will my place behind the lunch counters to anyone who will slave as I have.



- I, Junior Flory, will my job as sports editor to anyone who likes to write.
- I, Betty Furry, will my love for receiving letters to Elizabeth Puffenbarger.
- I, Roy Simmers, will my place in the Army to any one that wants it.
- I, Margaret Kennedy, will my love for the opposite sex to Lois Shickel.
- I, Charles Lee Leonard, will my love of studies to anyone who believes I like them.
 - I, Ruth Cromer, will my day-dreaming in class to Eloise Ford.
- I, Dennis Wright, will my place on the first team of basketball to Henry Graham.
- I, Lucille Jordan, will my attention received from a certain Sophomore to anyone who can take it away from me.
 - I, David Cupp, will my love for farming to Gordon Lee Rodgers.
 - I, Bette Garth, will my anxiety to get out of school to my sister, Nancy.
- I, Harold Shickel, will my good management for the Aurora to any one who proves himself capable.
 - I, Betty Miller, will my tininess to Gene Miller.
 - I, Eloise Edmonson, will my long hair to Meda Smith,
 - I, Louise Herold, will my love for sailors to anyone who enjoys them as I do.
 - I, Wilda Rodeffer, will my Saturday night dates to Leo Miller.
 - I. Martha Shull, will my curiosity to Minor Beverage.
 - I, Helen Snell, will my chewing gum to Miss Cline.
 - I, Frances Simmons, will my carefulness to Junior Eye.
 - I, Marietta Armstrong, will my cheerfulness to Evangeline Miller.

Given under our hand and seal this 31st day of May, 1946.

MARIETTA ARMSTRONG
BETTY FURRY

Senior Class Attorneys.



Prophecy

It was a beautiful night as I strolled over the hill. Shortly, I became inspired by the stillness of the night—the moon shining, the katydids singing and the stars twinkling. As I lay watching the glittering stars they slowly took shape, but suddenly I was startled—someone was with me. It was a lady carrying a large crystal ball. "Fear not," she said, "I am a fortune teller. You may call me Frantine—look at the stars."

Just then a large star caught my eye. Suddenly it revealed our class president, Roscoe Fix, who was eagerly working toward his future business. The star told me that he would some day become manager of J. C. Penney's store. Then another star burst forth. It was Howard Sayre. I was amazed—he had no job. Then Frantine spoke, "Ex-Staff-Sergeant Sayre had just received his discharge from the Marine Corps." She prophesied that he would land in Hollywood and become a famed actor. The star then glided west.

Frantine continued, "Are you not wondering about their buddy, John Baker?" Then another star appeared and with it John and someone else—but who? The star twinkled again—Oh,, yes, David Cupp. As the star began to move John and David asked, "Does Rockingham County still exist?" Wonderingly, I looked at Frantine. She explained that they were state agents of Virginia.

I heard strains of music—faintly at first, then louder and louder. As the star glided by I saw Eloise Edmonson seated at a piano. Frantine said Eloise had become very distinguished as a pianist of Phil-Harmonic Orchestra.

As Eloise floated away a group of stars glittered forth. Soon I realized it was the Big Dipper. The first star twinkled; it was snow white but—yes, a form was taking place. It was Betty Dedrick in a nurse's uniform. Frantine said she was the main dietitian at Rockingham Memorial Hospital. The second star also revealed a nurse—only she was a private nurse. I was surprised to see it was Margaret Kennedy, who had become a very skilled nurse. Then the upper right star flared forth and who should appear but a very attractive airline hostess. I immediately knew it was Elaine Frye and was glad, because she looked so happy. Frantine said she was doing very nicely and working for Pan-American Air Lines. Just then I noticed one star was slightly raised as if a supervisor. I was very surprised to see that it was a doctor; there he stood, a big handsome person who portrayed dignity, ability and a good worker. It was Dr. Charles Lee Leonard. Frantine informed me that he worked at the Astoria. She looked in her crystal ball and said that he would be a great help to his father later.

The next three formed the handle of the Dipper. They were the Flory twins, Junior and D. C. who were working in research laboratories in Walter Reed Hospital at Washington. Frantine prophesied they were to make great discoveries but I would have to wait to find out what they would be. The last star was our last nurse, Erva Hassler. Erva is a very patient and capable nurse.

Again, I heard someone singing. I recognized the voice as that of Lucille Jordan. Sure enough, there she stood singing like a lark. Frantine uttered, "Later Lucille will sing lullabies to her twins!"

Before I could recover from this statement another star appeared. At first the twinkle blinded me. It was lovely Bette Garth standing there. Frantine said she was a John Robert Powers model.

All at once I heard a crowd cheering. The star revealed a grandstand filled



with people. The baseball catcher was Dennis Wright and he was doing a swell job. I heard a radio announcer. Who should be the engineer but Robert Lam? The whole world was listening to the great ball game.

Land! here comes the Little Dipper. But it has a solemn, studious appearance. Frantine explained this was the group of teachers. First, there was Bonnie Payne speaking of times after World War II. She was a history teacher. The next star revealed Marietta Armstrong telling a class how the world was frightened by the first atomic bomb but now how the inventions and discoveries of the Atomic Age were accepted and used. The other two stars of the dipper flared up and there stood Frances Simmons and Ruth Cromer. They seemed very busy cleaning and cooking, and there was a group of girls. "Who are they?" I asked. "They," said Frantine, "are members of a home economics class." As they swished away the last star of the little dipper came striding up and along with it Betty Furry. "What is her future?" I asked. "She is making a name for herself—she is vice-president of Randolph-Macon Women's College." With that the small dipper splashed away and the next star approached, revealing a group of girls from which emerged Shelton Rodgers looking very pleased. Frantine said Shelton was a very capable office clerk and would always like the girls.

With that I began keeping time to music and there appeared Louise Herold playing her famous boogie-woogie. Frantine spoke, "Louise is going to Hollywood as a society lady."

As Louise started on her way she met another classmate, Helen Snell looking very dressed up. "Frantine," I asked, "what does Helen do?" "She," said Frantine, "is a very busy lady designing dresses for Hollywood actresses!"

At this point I realized I was hungry and what should happen but an apple fell—I looked up and Willard Miller stood in his star laughing. Frantine said he owned one of the largest orchards in the South.

Just then I heard the sound of a typewriter. As the star came nearer the typist turned and it was Betty Jean Miller. "She works for the Public Relations Office in Brooklyn."

At the sound of thunder I started to get up thinking a thunder storm was approaching. There stood Harold Shickel laughing as if his sides would break. "What does Harold do?" "He is a foreman at Kaiser Shipyards on the West Coast." Then a crane picked up Harold and in his place stood Roy Simmers. He was helping his father manage the farm since his discharge from the army.

Along came Elaine Skelton throwing softballs and Martha Shull counting the points in some relay. Frantine informed me that Elaine serves on the National Athletic Board and Martha is assistant to the professor of mathematics at Bridgewater College.

The next star portrayed Marguerite Stickley as a private secretary to the president of William and Mary College who is her husband.

To my wonder I heard babies crying. Lo and behold, there was Wilda Rodeffer with twins. She's doing very well. Frantine said, "Look out west." There was Gladys with children—I began counting—1, 2, 3, I couldn't believe it—yes, there they were, six of them. Frantine said, "It's time the stars are tucking under cover." I began walking between houses and the doors opened. Jean Cupp lived in one house and Helen Anderson in the other. I exclaimed, "They were pals in school and now they are housewives living across the street from one another."

As I neared the foot of the hill, I noticed the brightest star of all—the north star! As I gazed at it the entire class appeared for an instant and waved a farewell to Frantine and me.



CLASS DAY PROGRAM

"Youth Marches On"

ACT I

Scene: Entrance to School CHARACTERS

Narrator: Shelton Rogers Pianist: Betty Miller Alma Mater: Louise Herold

Curriculum-

History: Howard Sayre Civics: John Baker Music: Lucille Jordan

Household Arts: Marietta Armstrong

Extra-Curricular Activities—
Red Cross Nurse: Betty Dedrick
War Fund Drive: Roy Simmers

Spirit of Double Barred Cross: Helen

Anderson Junior Play:

Aims of Education— Senior: Roscoe Fix Health: Ruth Cromer Home: Gladys Bowman Leisure: Elaine Frye Happy Hours: Bonnie Payne, Margaret Kennedy, Bette Garth, Wilda Rodeffer Mascots: Johnny Shickel, Lester Kenney

Salutatorian: D. C. Flory

Science: Junior Flory English, Marguerite Stickley Gymnasium: Dennis Wright Industrial Arts: David Cupp

Senior Play:

St. Patrick's Day Party: Helen Anderson,

Jean Cupp

Junior and Senior Entertainment:

Vocation: Betty Furry Citizenship: Helen Snell Character: Erva Hassler Knowledge: Elaine Skelton

ACT II Scene: Same

School Official: Mr. Glick

Boy: Robert Lam
Girl: Frances Simmons

I-Youth in College-

College Campus: D. C. Flory, Marguerite Stickley, Martha Shull, Willard Miller, Wilda Rodeffer

Sports Scene: Lucille Jordan, Charles Leonard, Elaine Frye, Dennis Wright

Social Scene: Betty Furry, Louise Herold, Margaret Kennedy, Lucille Jordan, Bette Garth

11-Youth Becomes the Homemaker-

Howard Sayre, Johnny Shickel, Lester Kenney, Marietta Armstrong

III-Youth Finds Employment-

Newspaper Reporters: Charles Leonard,

Junior Flory

Lawyers: D. C. Flory, John Baker Nurses: Betty Dedrick, Elaine Frye

Carpenter: David Cupp

Painter: Willard Miller

Teachers: Bonnie Payne, Frances Simmons Designers: Wilda Rodeffer, Lucille Jordan Filling Station Operator: Roy Simmers

ACT III Scene: Same

Mother: Marguerite Stickley

Son: Harold Shickel

Four Employers: D. C. Flory, Roscoe Fix, Charles Leonard, Robert Lam Voice of Doubt: D. C. Flory, Roscoe Fix, Charles Leonard, Robert Lam

Spirit of Democracy: Eloise Edmonson

Valedictorian: Elaine Skelton

Prophets— Wills— Gifts—



Junior Class Officers

GEORGE GRAHAM
BONNIE SHICKEL
CAROLYN MILLERSecretary
MELVIN WILL
MRS. HOLLEN

FLOWER

Rose

COLORS

Crimson and Gold

MOTTO

Sink or Swim



Left to Right—B. Shickel, M. Will, Mrs. Hollen, G. Graham, C. Miller





Seated, Left to Right—Bobby Koontz, Barbara Gainer, Nancy Garth, Norman Howdyshell, Pat Beckwith, John Leigh Miller, Mary Elizabeth Kline, Carolyn Miller, George Graham

Standing, Left to Right—Gene Miller, Kathleen Huffman, Gilbert Counts, Jr., Alvin Kline, Jr., Kenneth Eye, Eloise Ford, Josephine Chiodi, Tom Click, Don Glick, Richard Gainer





Seated, Left to Right—Melvin Will, Bonnie Shickel, Eleanor Jean Rhodes, Meda Smith,
Raymond Wheeler, Billy Wright, Evangeline Miller, Ollie Snell,
Marvin Suter, Mary Lou Riddleberger

Standing, Left to Right—Betty Stearn, Stanley Wine, Anna Wanger, Mildred Myers, Kitty Jean Thomas, Elizabeth Puffenbarger, Grace Whitmore, Bonnie Swartz, Gordon Lee Rogers, Elwood Roche, Mrs. Hollen



NAME	NICKNAME	FAVORITE EXPRESSION	HORROR
Patricia Beckwith	"Pat"	My Cow	men
Tom Click	"Horse"	Oh, Gee Whiz!	automobiles
Josephine Chiodi	"Jo"	Phooey	D. M.
Gilbert Counts, Jr.	"Jr."	I don't know	fast speed cops
Kenneth Eye	"Junk"	I gottcha overlaid	poolroom
Eloise Ford	"Loy"	Good Cow	the Navy
Barbara Gainer	"Bobby"	Holy Mackerel	Bing Crosby
Nancy Garth	"Ninkie"	Good	Graham
Richard Gainer	"Ted"	I'll be darned	radio
Nelson Gardner	"Girgle"	Oh Shoot!	Roanoke
Don Glick	"Don"	Darn it!	women drivers
George Graham	"Pruit"	Golly Ned	Garth's
Kathleen Huffman	"Kat"	Oh!	movies
Norman Howdyshell	"Norman"	Good-night	women
Alvin Kline, Jr.	"A. T."	Greetings	College reception hall
Mary E. Kline	"Mert"	Gee, whiz!	candy
Bobby Koontz	"Coontz"	Dad burn it	school
Josephine Lambert	"Jo"	Gee whiz!	music
Carolyn Miller	"Tat"	Buzzard	school
Evangeline Miller	"Shorty"	I see what you mean!	a certain freshman
Gene Miller	"Gene"	Holy Cow	assignments
John L. Miller	"Johnny"	Shoot!	basketball
Mildred Myers	"Mitty"	Oh, Cuss!	dates
Elizabeth Puffenbarg	er "Libby"	Well, for Heaven's sake!	guys
Eleanor Jean Rhodes	"Meany"	Oh, my law!	Guy Lombardo
Mary Lou Riddleberg	ger "Lou"	Jiggers	fellows
Elwood Roche	"Roche"	"De good book say"	teachers
Gordon Lee Rodgers	"Peachy"	Oh, Fiddlesticks!	moonlight
Bonnie Shickel	"Bonnie	My gosh!	movies
Meda Smith	"Meda"	Heck!	reading
Ollie Snell	"Snell"	Gravy	dates
Betty Stearn	"Betts"	Gee, you're stupid	boys
Marvin Suter	"Jerk"	Darn it!	girls
Bonnie Swartz	"Watson"	Gee, you're dumb	car driving
Kitty Jean Thomas	"Kitty"	Gee, Whiz!	blondes
Herman L. Tutwiler	"Buddie"	Good golly!	women
Charlotte Webster	"Pete"	What do you know?	Air Corps
Anna Lee Wanger	"Anna Lee"	My Gosh!	movies
Raymond Wheeler	"Ray"	Lazy, I reckon	women
Grace Whitmore	"Grace"	Go bark up a tree	Wrights
Melvin Will	"Willy"	Son-of-a-gun	Mary Lou
Stanley Wine	"Stanley"	Oh my!	school
Billy Wright	"Billy"	Dad blame it!	pink elephants



Sophomore Class Officers

PAUL KLINE
PAUL GARST
JUNE CRAUN Secretary
DORICE MINNICK
MRS. McCONNELL

FLOWER

Rose

COLORS

Rose and Silver

MOTTO
Preparation is the Keynote of Success



Left to Right-D. Minnick, P. Garst, Mrs. McConnell, P. Kline, J. Craun





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May Caricofe, Paul Kline, June Craun

Standing, Left to Right—Mrs. McConnell, Mark Muterspaugh, Norlyn Click, Evelyn Head, Franklin Knighten, Wanda Mongold, Henry Graham, Paul Garst, Robert Liskey, James Davis, Murray Harvey





Seated, Left to Right—Dorice Minnick, Mildred Rodeffer, Shenvalee Rodeffer, Dennis Sandridge, Charlotte Webster, Cecil Meyerhoeffer, Lois Shickel, Mary Frances Wright, Charles Owen, Janet Smith, Dorothy Smith

Standing, Left to Right—Howard Shull, Leo Miller, Charlene Vance, Maxine Waggy,
Kathleen Trobaugh, Richard Trobaugh, Doris Trobaugh, Mary Rose Ponton,
Rhoda Shifflett, Paul Whetzel, Audrey Staubus, Velma Payne



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Mary Frances Wright

NICKNAME

"Shorty" "Button-nose" "Coff-drop" "Chunk"

"Grandaddy-long-legs"

"Shadow"

"Wooden Soldier" "Graham-Cracker"

"Sleepy" "Doc" "Chicken" "Music Box" "Sleepy" "Whiskey" "Grandpa" "Dignified" "Bashful" "Old Faithful" "Нарру" "Pee-wee" "Blondie" "Slow" "Flirt"

"Step-an-fetch-it"

"Prof." "Horse Laugh"

"Mutv" "Cupid" "Little Frankie" "Veronica Lake"

"Bad-eye" "Little Gentleman"

"Buddy" "Fatty" "Cookie" "Little Lady" "Smitty" "Paulie"

"Rosy" "Silly" "Shenny" "Giggle-box" "Bright Eyes" "Smitty" "Timid" "Studious"

"Dignified" "Cat"

"Grandma" "Tomboy" "Bashful"



Freshman Class Officers

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Lavendar and Gold

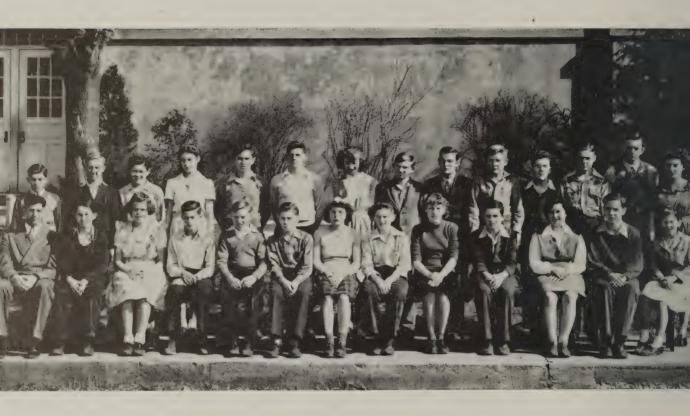
MOTTO

Build for Character, Not for Fame



Left to Right-M. Wine, G. Newman, Mr. Hollen, M. Back, B. Gilkerson





Seated, Left to Right—Mr. Hollen, Earl Hawkins, Eva May Gardner, Charles Lam, Lewis Layman, Donald Furry, Arvetta Fishback, B. D. Beydler, Lois Ann Berry, Norman Click, Nancy Lee Craun, Billy Gilkerson, Mary Ann Back

Standing, Left to Right—Fred Cromer, Curtis Hansbrough, Glenn Harman, Mary Ellen Lilly, Bobby Johnson, David Henry, Madeline Dean, Douglas Hassler, Harlan Anderson, Ray Caricofe, David Duffy, Filmore Glover, Ernest Henton, Eleanor Craun





Seated, Left to Right—Mary Louise Wine, George Newman, Bonnie Vance, Ward Lee Trobaugh, Betty Jo Diehl, Avis Thomas, Charles Wright, Rosalie Click, Violet Supinger, Harold Rodeffer, Mary Frances Will, Fred Rhodes, Herbert Hoover, Garland Simmons

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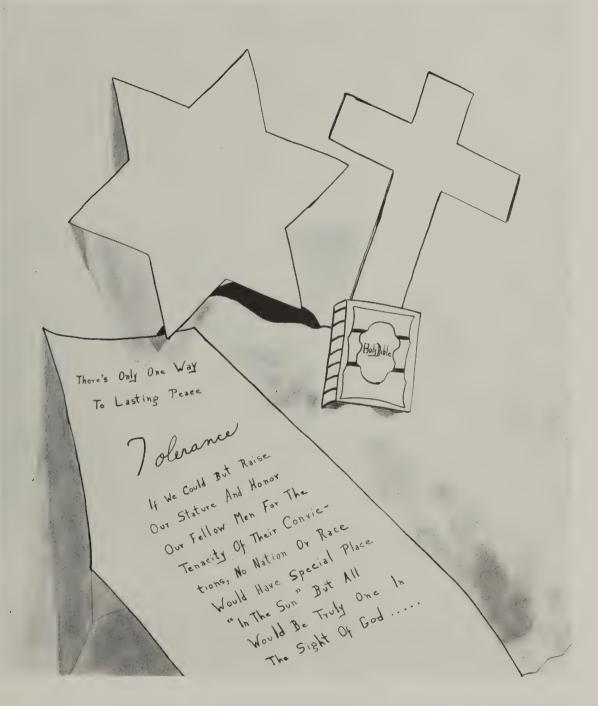


Imagine!

Harlan Anderson being noisy. Mary Ann Back and Raymond Miller without chewing gum, Lois Ann Berry not being energetic in volley ball, B. D. Beydler not liking movies. lean Caricofe being noisy. Ray Caricofe not driving a car. Norman Click liking assignments. Rosalie Click not interested in basketball. Eleanor Craun not talking to the boys. Nancy Lee Craun being skinny. Fred Cromer not teasing Harlan Anderson. Dale Croushorn and George Newman not teasing Eva Mae Gardner. Madeline Dean being fat. Betty Jo Diehl without curly hair. David Duffy having blond hair. Arvetta Fishback not flirting. Doris Furr not chewing gum. Donald Furry and Weldon Riddleberger having worries. Eva Mae Gardner not talking. Billy Gilkerson not liking girls. Filmore Glover and Lewis Layman not fighting over Janet S. Curtis Hansbrough not reading books. Glenn Harman not being with girls. Ann Harris not giggling. Douglas Hassler being a small boy. Earl Hawkins not thinking of Eleanor C. Mark Head being mischievous. David Henry not dreaming of Mary Elizabeth. Ernest Henton with a girl. Herbert Hoover being ambitious. Bobby Johnson being awake. Charles Lam not having a girl-friend. Mary Ellen Lilly not smiling. Jean Long liking English class. Roland Michael being studious. Charles Miller being a tall boy. Kathryn Miller making poor grades on tests. Stanley Miller liking school. Carl Mongold studying too hard. Helen Nieswander not being neat. Jean Pardoe not reading adventure stories. Freddie Rhodes not being a pest. Harold Rodeffer teasing girls. Mary Ella Rodeffer having blonde hair. Aaron Rodes studying in the library, Owen Shifflett not laughing. John Showalter not farming Garland Simmons laughing. Maynard Southard not tinkering. Betty Supinger without red hair. Violet Supinger without freckles. Avis Thomas having red hair, Ward Lee Trobaugh being tall. Bonnie Vance being big. Paul Waggy talking. Elsie Wilfong not laughing.
Mary Frances Will hating basketball. Ray Wimer being in a hurry. Mary Louise Wine being serious.

Charles Wright having red hair.





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Seated—M. Kennedy, D. C. Flory, Dorice Minnick, G. Graham, Miss Bowman, B. Furry, B. Shickel, E. Edmonson

Standing—Mr. Glick, J. Craun, M. Stickley, M. Caricofe, M. Armstrong, E. Ford, B. Dedrick, J. Chiodi, Junior Flory, C. Miller, K. Huffman, P. Kline, S. Wine, E. Rhodes







Physical Education

Our school has had a well organized physical education program over the past years and the plans used this year were much the same as in previous years. The program was varied by a fall, winter and spring schedule.

The fall schedule included a program of "events" suggested by the State Department of Health and Physical Education. These included tests of skill and endurance such as dashes, potato race, push-ups and basketball accuracy throws.

During the winter months when the weather was bad the teams played volley ball on the gymnasium courts. Short periods of calisthenics were given each day.

In the spring the teams again moved out-of-doors. Soft ball, volley ball, kick baseball and speed baseball were included in the round robin schedule which was used. The boys and girls were organized into eight teams, each with a captain and lieutenant at the head.

The physical education period afforded a period of relaxation and recreation during the school day. It also offered opportunity to learn various games and to practice the skills needed in playing them. All in all, the physical education period was looked forward to each day by the students and faculty.





Wearers of BHS

This club is made up of those who have received monograms in boys' and girls' basketball, baseball, cheerleading and literary activities. A monogram is a thing to be proud of, for it represents honest, sincere efforts and achievement.



First Row—Bonnie Shickel, Charles Lee Leonard, Paul Kline, Roy Simmers, Melvin Will, Elaine Fry, Mary Lou Riddleberger, Eloise Edmonson, Murray Harvey

Second Row—Mr. Hollen, Dennis Wright, Mrs. Hollen, Mrs. Ikenberry, May Caricofe, Gladys Bowman, Louise Herold, Marguerite Stickley, Bette Garth, Frances Simmons, Grace Whitmore

Third Row—George Graham, Kenneth Eye, D. C. Flory, Harold Shickel, Tom Click, Alfred Kenney, Paul Garst, Elwood Roche, Bonnie Shickel, Gene Miller



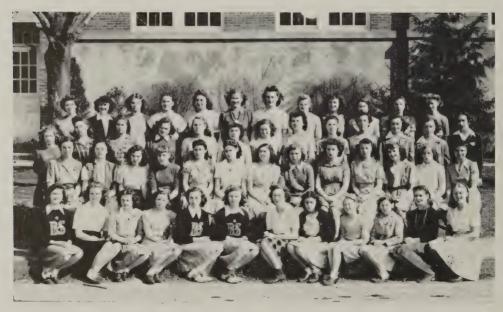
Home Economics

The year has been spent in working on such problems as sewing, child care, cooking, refinishing furniture, budgeting and other problems which will be of value to the girls in the future.

The classes agreed to join the Home Economics Club by a majority vote. After paying a small fee each girl will be entitled to a membership pin and will be eligible to spend a week in camp during the summer.

As adviser, Miss Martha Sieg has done an excellent job of helping the girls prepare to face the difficulties and tasks which they will have to cope with in life.

BONNIE SHICKEL	resident
GRACE WHITMORE	resident
LOIS SHICKEL	cretary
BETTY JO DIEHL	easurer



First Row—Eloise Edmonson, Elizabeth Puffenbarger, Eleanor Jean Rhodes, Shirley Baker, Bonnie Shickel, Grace Whitmore, Lois Shickel, Betty Jo Diehl, Bonnie Vance, Mary Ann Back, Rosalie Click, Kitty Jean Thomas

Second Row—Miss Sieg, Betty Stearn, Nancy Garth, Lois Ann Berry, Mary Ella Rodeffer, Mary Ellen Lilly, Mildred Rodeffer, Jean Smith, Eleanor Craun, Elsie Wilfong, Madeline Dean, Avis Thomas; Jean Cupp

Third Row—Barbara Gainer, Bette Garth, Erva Hassler, Frances Simmons, Anna Wanger, Arvetta Fishback, Bonnie Payne, Wilda Rodeffer, Mary Frances Wright, Helen Nieswander, Margaret Kennedy, Jean Long, Kathleen Trobaugh

Fourth Row—Patricia Beckwith, Betty Furry, Velma Payne, Marietta Armstrong, Mildred Myers, Mary Elizabeth Kline, Betty Dedrick, Mary Rose Ponton, Helen Anderson, June Craun, Meda Smith, Dorice Minnick



F. F. A.

The F.F.A. boys organized and arranged their program. They have carried out projects including the scrap drive and clothing for relief. Money from these projects were deposited in the treasury to be used for room improvements.

Each member also brought fruits and vegetables to be canned for people of war torn countries.

The project of most interest during the year was the building of the brooder house on the school ground. It was financed by the F.F.A. treasury. A flock of chickens was raised and proved very successful.

OFFICERS

MELVIN WILL	President
BOBBY KOONTZ	
BUDDIE TUTWILER	Secretary
ROY SIMMERS	Treasurer
LEO MILLER	Reporter



First Row—Carl Mongold, Charles Lam, David Duffy, Paul Waggy, Ray Wimer, John Leigh Miller, David Henry, Charles Wright, Richard Miller, Franklin Knighten, Richard Trobaugh, Lindy Morris

Second Row—Norman Howdyshell, Raymond Wheeler, Donald Huffman, Roy Simmers, Buddy Tutwiler, Melvin Will, Bobby Koontz, Leo Miller, Paul Kline, Paul Whetzel, Stanley Wine, Eugene Counts

Third Row—Harlan Anderson, Gilbert Counts, Jr., David Cupp, John Baker, Lewis Layman, Fred Cromer, Ward Lee Trobaugh, James Davis, Garland Simmons, Douglas Hassler, Mr. Kline, adviser

Fourth Row—Dennis Sandridge, Roland Michael, Gordon Rodgers, Freddie Rhodes, Kenneth Eye, Jr., Nelson Gardner, Ray Caricofe, Herbert Hoover, Cecil Meyerhoeffer



Cheer-Leading

To boost our school spirit at the basketball games this year we elected five cheer-leaders, whose task it was to lead cheers. They have done a very good job. They are: Elaine Frye, Charles Lee Leonard, Grace Whitmore, Bonnie Shickel, and Paul Kline. Elaine Frye and Charles Lee Leonard are experienced from last year. Some of the well-known cheers are:

- Have we got a team?
 Yea, Man!
 What a team
 Yea, Man!
 With a Susie-Q and a truck on down,
 Come on team, Let's mow 'em down.
- Two-Bits, Four-Bits,
 Six Bits, a Dollar,
 All for Bridgewater, Stand up and holler,
 Yea, Bridgewater!



Left to Right—Bonnic Shickel, Paul Kline, Grace Whitmore, Charles Lee Leonard, Elaine Frye



Baseball Schedule

D	ate	School	Place
April	9	-Dayton	Away
April	12-	-Beverley Manor	Home
April	16—	-Elkton	Away
April	18—	-Broadway	Home
April	23—	-New Hope	Away
April	26—	-North River	Tome
April	30-	-Dayton	Home
May	3—	-Beverley Manor	Away
May	7—	-Elkton	Home
May	10-	-Broadway	Away
May	14	-New Hope	Home
May	17—	-North River	Away



First Row—Rodeffer, Shifflet, Caricofe, Layman Second Row—H. Graham, Click, Eye, Wright, D. Flory, Kenney, Will Third Row—Mr. Hollen (coach), Glover, Henry, Southard B. Flory, Shickel, G. Graham, Garst, Roche, Gilkerson



Girls' Basketball Schedule

			B.H.S.	Opponents
Dec.	14—Alumni	Home	. 32	7
Dec.	18—Timberville	Home	21	. 17
Jan.	5—Dayton	Away	15	14
Jan.	8—Beverley Manor	Home	22	20
Jan.	11—Elkton	Away	34	28
Jan.	15—Broadway	Home	25	20
Jan.	25—New Hope	Away	25	32
Jan.	29—North River	Away	25	42
Feb.	1—Dayton	Home	11	10
Feb.	5—Beverley Manor	Away	11	. 19
Feb.	8—Elkton	Home	· 21	21
Feb.	12—Broadway	Away	21	30
Feb.	15—McGaheysville	Home	21	37
Feb.	.19—New Hope	Home	20	20
Feb.	22—North River	Home	20	28
Feb.	26—Timberville	Away	31	32
Feb.	28—`*cGaheysville	Away	. 30	33



First Row, Left to Right—Mr. Glick, Bonnie Swartz, Frances Simmons, Mary Lou Riddleberger, Eloise Edmonson, Gladys Bowman, Elaine Frye, Louise Herold,
May Caricofe, Gene Miller
Second Row, Left to Right—Mary Frances Will, Kathryn Miller, Bette Garth, Ann Harris,
Mary Louise Wine, Betty Stearn, Elizabeth Puffenbarger, Nancy Garth,
Violet Supinger, Rosalie Click, Betty Jo Diehl



Boys' Basketball

		B.H.S.	Opponents
14—Alumni	Home	30	23
18—Timberville	Home	24	11
5—Dayton	Away	16	31
8—Beverley Manor	Home	36	30
11—Elkton	Away	25	17
15—Broadway	Home	21	31
25—New Hope	Away	23	28
29—North River	Away	18	25
1—Dayton	Home	17	32
5—Beverley Manor	Away	25	32
8—Elkton	Home	39	25
12—Broadway	Away	28	30
15—Fieldale Hi	Home	22	41
19—New Hope	Home	32	29
22—North River	Home	28	25
26—Timberville	Away	26	14
	5—Dayton 8—Beverley Manor 11—Elkton 15—Broadway 25—New Hope 29—North River 1—Dayton 5—Beverley Manor 8—Elkton 12—Broadway 15—Fieldale Hi 19—New Hope 22—North River	18—Timberville Home 5—Dayton Away 8—Beverley Manor Home 11—Elkton Away 15—Broadway Home 25—New Hope Away 29—North River Away 1—Dayton Home 5—Beverley Manor Away 8—Elkton Home 12—Broadway Away 15—Fieldale Hi Home 19—New Hope Home 22—North River Home	14—Alumni Home 30 18—Timberville Home 24 5—Dayton Away 16 8—Beverley Manor Home 36 11—Elkton Away 25 15—Broadway Home 21 25—New Hope Away 23 29—North River Away 18 1—Dayton Home 17 5—Beverley Manor Away 25 8—Elkton Home 39 12—Broadway Away 28 15—Fieldale Hi Home 22 19—New Hope Home 32 22—North River Home 28



First Row, Left to Right—George Graham, Kenneth Eye, Tom Click, Alfred Kenney, Melvin Will
Second Row, Left to Right—Mr. Hollen, Dennis Wright, Paul Garst, D. C. Flory, Junior Flory, Elwood Roche, Harold Shickel













GRADES





SEVENTH GRADE

First Row, Left to Right—Laurine Morris, Frances Skinner, Martha Lou Furry, Phyllis Southard, Helen Hassler

Second Row, Left to Right—Wanda Miller, Elwood Hensley, Joan Myers, Dorothy Wright, Norman Mongold, Carolyn Garst, Joyce Myers, J. Frank Wine, Sarah Bettie Turk, Danny Hollen, Peggy Swartz, Owen Wright, Flora Belle Harvey, Marshall Garst

Third Row, Left to Right—Maxine Sheffer, Jane Soule, Miss Cline, Twyla Atkins,
Wade Bodkin, Leonard Craun, Doris Jean Wine, Joseph Wampler,
Alda Knott, Carl Perry



SIXTH GRADE

Fourth Row, Left to Right—Miss Blanche Wright, Paul Miller, David Ramsey, Janice Miller, Eileen Keplinger, Delroy Mongold, Stanley Holsinger, Nelson Keyton, Ray Brown Dinkle, Joan Kline, Reiman Shober, Ruby Supinger, Norris Simmons, Tom Cromer, Dewitt Sheffer

Third Row, Left to Right—Bethelene Mitts, Mary Frances Cromer, Audrey Wilfong, Margie Knight, Edgar McConnell, Esther Heatwole, Edward Stickley, Carolyn Ikenberry, Bobby Will, Cleata Perry, Leon Miller, Dorothy Myers, Nelson Cascho (Grade 5), Nancy Supinger (Grade 5), David Cromer, Carl McNett (Grade 5), Don Shull (Grade 5)



FIFTH GRADE

First Row, Left to Right—Henry Ramsey, Bobby Knott, Paul Michael, Bobby Puffenbarger, Meda Knott, Anne Suter, John Kline, Glenn Thomas, Noland Fishback, Ray Knott, Betty Spitler, Adair McConnell, Jimmie Glick, Carolyn Will, Louise Owen

Second Row, Left to Right—Martha Morgan, Edwin Roche, Leon Shirkey, Chester Heatwole, Gershon Shickel, Maureen Michael, Gene Wampler, Margaret Caricofe, Guy Lee Clark, Johnnie Fishback, Doris Jean Mongold, Sanford Shenk, Page Will (Grade 6), Anne Bowman (Grade 6), David Wright (Grade 6), Everette Rhodes (Grade 6), James Will



FOURTH GRADE

Fourth Row, Left to Right—Roberta Swecker, Buddy Swecker, Nancy Brown, Betty Howdyshell, Sathena Clarke, Raymond Holsinger, Donnie Mongold, Paul Howdyshell, Carter Harris, Eugene Kenney, Leroy Fishback, Carl Dedrick, Robert Withers, Lyle Keplinger, Leslie Jopson, Beatrice Rivercomb, Margaret Rhodes, Claudia Head, Bruce Hopkins

Third Row, Left to Right—Miss Swank, Boyd Craun, Maynard Miller, Charlotte McNett, Shirley Cook, Patsy Weaver, Joan Harvey, Clyde Phillips, Ruby Baker, Janice Fishback, Glenn Koontz, Nancy Cromer, Paul Caricofe, Lavonne Ikenberry, Ruth Baker, Margaret Wilfong, Carl Rodeffer, Doris Miller, Norma J. Wise, Shirley Boyers



THIRD GRADE

First Row, Left to Right—Rodney Miller, Phillip Dedrick, Joan Mitts, Shirley Whetzel, Louise Keller, David Taylor, Bradley Shickel, Madelyn Jean Miller, Cecil Wampler, Sonny Simmons, Doris Lee Long, Donna Lee Miller, Geraldine Hensley, Miss Furry

Second Row, Left to Right—Donnie Craun, Jean Swartz, Mary George, Shirley Shirkey, Betty Bricker, Betty Gordon, Robert Wright, Galen Miller, Johnny Hensley, Patricia Spitler, Junior Baker, Charles Matheny, Howard Michael, Joyce Wright, Larry Newman, Charles Caricofe, Delores Hilbert



SECOND GRADE

Fourth Row, Left to Right—Judith Hollen, Ella Caricofe, Anthony McAvoy, Samuel Taylor, Dwight Newman, Benjamin Morgan, Johnny Kenney, Bettilyn Dinkel, Janis Michael, Johnnie Shickel, Claudia Ramsey, Roy Waggy, Lester Kenney, Dorothy George, Willodane Fishback, Bobby Lee Lilly

Third Row, Left to Right—Miss Shipman, Donnie Simmons, Billy Robinson, Betty Jo Hollen, Elizabeth Wilfong, Josephine Butler, Joe Henry Furry, Nelson Huffman, Jr., Carolyn Sue Stover, Carroll Smith, Betty Ann Mitts, Norman Armstrong, Marilyn Fay Wright, Earl Waggy, Nancy Hoover, Janet Rivercomb

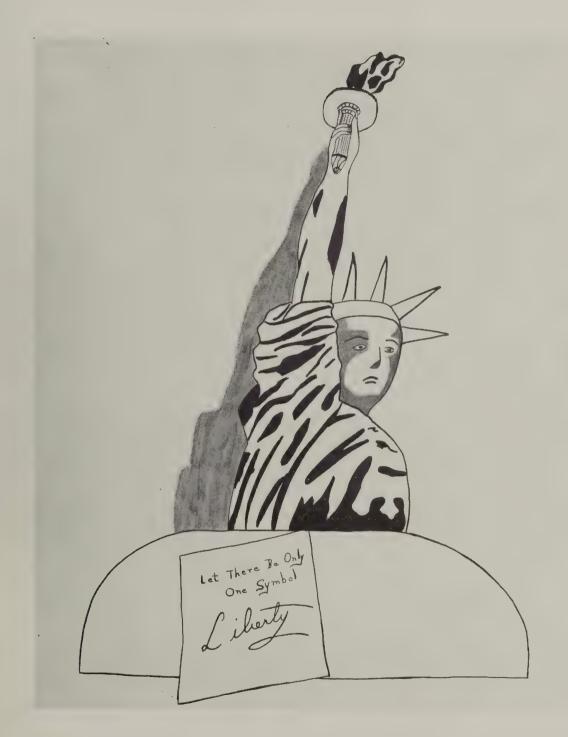


FIRST GRADE

First Row, Left to Right—Miriam Shank, Alma Jean Wright, Charles Wilfong, Evelyn Hensley, Carolyn Ann Wine, Gloria Spitler, Loretta Boyers, Carlos Atkins, Frederick Rhodes, Miss Wise

Second Row, Left to Right—Benny Simmons, Joyce Jane Miller, Carolyn Frances Heatwole, Peggy Simmers, Roberta Mongold, Janet Wampler, Donald Click, Wanda Corbin, Robert Fishback, Dwane Michael, Robert Mongold, Hensil Mitts, Stanley Ringgold





LITERARY



"PFACE"

The storm is now o'er;
The rainbow is here
The colors of which
Blot out our fears.

The sun is now shining;
All is fair and clear
We hear no more longing,
For peace is now here.

We'll clean up the wreckage
Wrought by the flood,
And hope that ne'er again
Need we give our life's blood.

We've stood the test
Of our nation true;
Now we'll work for peace
And the red, white, and blue.
—Eloise Ford and Josephine Chiodi, '46.

SPRING

Spring is coming, spring is almost here, And all the world to me is dear.

And with the coming of the spring, The whole wide world with peace will ring.

A world of peace should make everyone glad, And with the coming of spring no one should be sad.

So let your heart with joy ring, With the coming of the spring.

-Mary Ann Back, '49.

A FRIEND

When the joys of life seem exhausted,

And your life as a whole seems to end,

Comes the time when you long for the kindness

And the soul-finding love of a friend.

May God pity the soul without friendship,
For a life lived in loneliness must be
Like a ship without a sail on the ocean,
In distress on the turbulent sea.

-Charlene Vance, '48.



"MEMORIES OF MOTHER"

I take a picture from the shelf, Which brings back memories; I see a twinkle in your eyes, And know it is for me.

I quickly raise my shirt sleeve, And dust the picture with care; I look again at your gay smile, And know that you are there.

I remember when but a wee tot, You tucked me in my bed; And if my prayers I had forgot, You gently stroked my head.

And when the morning light shone in, You'd lift me from my cot; And carry me down the long stair way, To the breakfast you'd kept hot.

And then it was no time at all, You did my hair so neatly part; And say, "Off to school, my boy," And press me gently to your heart.

With all the cares and tasks of a Mother's day; A cooky jar to fill and clothes to put away, Pies to bake and, oh! so very many things Yet she was always there when home I came.

Oh! If only I could see her once more today, I think I'd clasp my hands and softly, gently, pray; Dear Mother, please, forgive me, As I didn't know before, I should have been a better boy, And appreciated you more.

I grasp the picture a wee bit tight, And look again at your gay smile; I make a vow right here this night, To always be a better child.

If I should die tonight, I shall have known, The blessings of having had you for my own; I shall have had a Mother's love and care, Which I would not have known without you there.

-SHELTON RODGERS, '46.

WIND BEFORE A STORM

When the sky begins to darken And gray clouds begin to form, And the wind starts blowing You can look out for a storm.

When the birds stop singing And the flowers look forlorn, And the cock stops crowing There is bound to be a storm.

When the children cease to play And you no longer hear their shouts, They have seen the darkened sky And have gone into the house.

The ships at sea begin to toss
And gulls begin to swarm,
They have felt the mighty rush
Of the wind before the storm.

—Audrey Staubus, '48.

SONNET

The first time I saw you I'd have never guessed, How much I'd care for you through the next year I gave you all the care my heart possessed With no return of love my life to cheer. No interest in me would you supply, Yet always there was someone you'd adore. Now many lonely months have travelled by, Since you have gone to fight the nation's war. But yet I treasure up my future dream, You cannot stay forever far away; 'Though long the time until you come may seem, You will be home for good some joyous day. Each day I'll try some worthy thing to learn, And live my best and wait for your return.

-ELAINE SKELTON, '46.



WINTER-TIME

The grass is blowing in the breeze,
The leaves are falling from the trees;
The little birds are southward bound,
They know that winter is coming round.

They build their nests deep in the South,

And raise their young 'mid rain and drought;

But when the spring-time comes around

We hear their old familiar sound.

-Margaret Kennedy, '46.

PEACE-TIME THANKSGIVING

The trees are bare.

The grass is brown,

The sky is clear,

The wind is whistling around.

The turkey is done,

The gravy is made,

The dinner bell is rung,

The blessing is said.

The world is at peace this Thanksgiving Day.

-Roscoe Fix,'46.

"THE SUNSET"

At eventide, across the blue,
Beautiful yellow, orange, and pink
Spread across the sky, blending in hue
Like splashed bottles of colored ink.

Out from this yellow, orange, and pink

Comes an unseen blotter to catch its gleams;

And the blotter causes the sun to sink,

And the colors are lost forever—in dreams.

The beautiful colors—the sunset;
The damaging blotter, the darkening night;
The pattern of life in this is met—
Colors gleam, then death absorbs the light.

-CAROLYN MILLER, '47.



SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1945-46

September 10—School opens with enrollment of 435, Mr. Hollen welcomed as new teacher and coach.

September 21—First movie of the year, "Holiday Inn."

October 17—Burton Lynn Jackson—Marimbist—First lyceum of the year.

October 19—"Little Old New York," movie.

October 23—Report cards out for the first time. How was yours?

October 31—Halloween Carnival—Fan dancer! Hubba-Hubba! Ghost house!

November 7—Lyceum—Ralph Melville demonstrates glass blowing art.

November 11-17—American Education week observed.

November 16—"RELATIVES BY AFFECTION," Senior Class play. Very successful!

November 22-23—Thanksgiving holidays.

December 4—Second period ends.

December 6—Report cards out. Everybody pass?

December 26—U. S. Zoological Society exhibition. Did Polly say "good bye"?

December 21—School closed for Christmas holidays. MERRY CHRIST-MAS to you!

January 1—Back to school. Resolutions?

January 23—The long awaited day—Exams start!

January 24—Elliott James—Liquid Air demonstration.

February 25—Bobo, the Magician. Bunny disappears.

February 28—Seniors played their last basketball game.

March 1—Boys defeat Edinburg in S. C. Tournament. Score 31-19.

March 8—Fourth report period ends—Watch your step!

March 7—Home Economics girls and F.F.A. boys hold party.

March 15—Seniors hold class party in the auditorium.

March 19—Sophomores hold party.

March 21—Jack Raymond, herpetalogist, Great snakes! Did he have them?

April 5—Junior play, "Don't Take My Penny?"

April 18—Fifth report period ends.

April 19-22—Easter holidays.

April 24—Report cards out.

May 13—Lyceum—George Demott, Juggler and Entertainer.

May 31—Senior class program, "Youth Marches On."

June 2—School sermon.

June 3—Commencement, 1946—Farewell!



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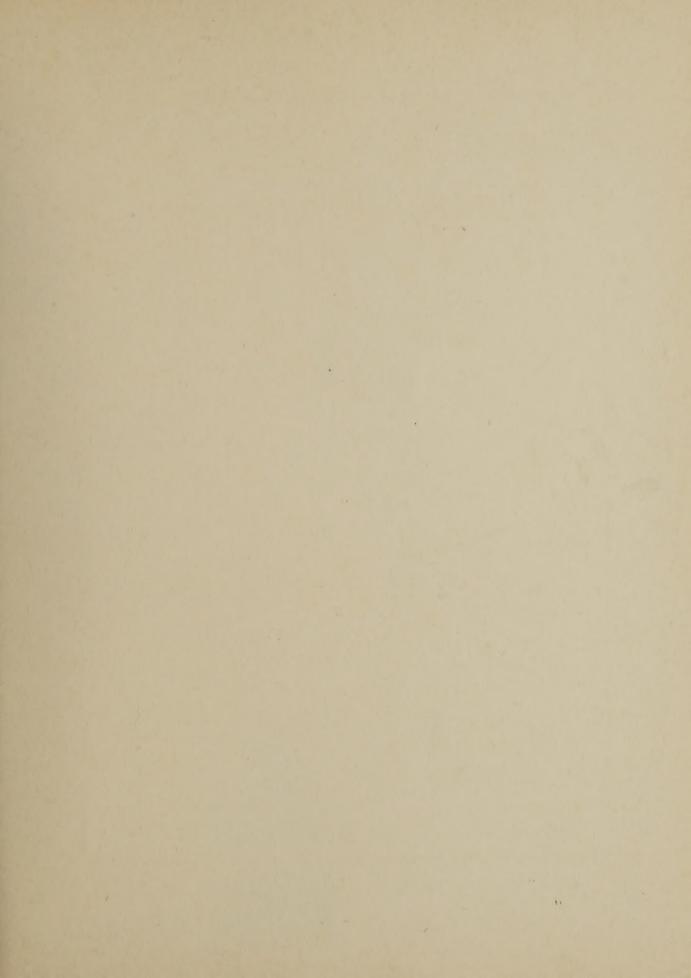
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